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May Revolutionize American Industries

Water Power Projects Planned by U. S. Government

Development of waterpower projects to such an extent that they may revolutionize American industry within the next twenty years making water greater than coal as a source of power, is promised in the number of applications now before the federal water power commission.

Reports obtained today by the United Press following the first meeting of the new power commission shows that 160 applications for water power sites are to be acted upon by the commission which is composed of the secretaries of war, agriculture and interior.

Motor Stage Victim May Not Survive His Injuries

Harry Christianson of 915 Fallon street, Oakland, who was seated with Driver T. A. Jones when a Western Motor Transport stage telescoped an automobile Saturday night on the highway near San Pablo, is in a precarious condition. His injuries consisted of two fractured legs, one of which was broken in several places, necessitating amputation above the knee.

The driver, in his endeavor to obviate crashing into the automobile, turned to one side, but not enough to clear. Christianson received the full force of the impact, which drove the engine back catching the latter's legs in the form, the force of which shattered the members.

Brave Girl Drops 3000 Feet From Airplane in Parachute

Sacramento, March 17.—Miss Phillis Broadwick, a San Francisco girl made a 3000-foot descent from an airplane here at Mather Field yesterday, using a parachute strapped to her back. This was her first trip in an airplane made to test the parachute.

Shinola Shines Lodge of Elks Perform in Berkeley

Richmond Lodge of Elks took the "Shinola Shines" to Berkeley Wednesday night and had them stage their "ritualistic work" for Berkeley B. P. E. O.'s No. 1002.

It required more than one hundred automobiles to accommodate the Richmond delegation which accompanied the "Shinola" to the College City. The capacity of the lodge room was taxed to accommodate the immense crowd of Bay City Elks who came from all points of the compass to see the big attraction. To say that the "Shinola" were well received is not making it "strong enough"—for the applause was distinctly heard in Milpitas and San Jose, states Secretary Annett, who received a wire from the San Jose lodge stating that their seismograph had been greatly disturbed at 10:55 Wednesday night.

The Shinolas have a number of bids from lodges over the state and it will be some time before all the engagements are filled.

"I Saw It in THE TERMINAL."

Chiropractic Bill Loses Out in State Assembly

Sacramento, March 17.—The Benton chiropractic bill providing for a separate board of examination for chiropractors, was defeated in the assembly yesterday following a lengthy debate. The following vote stood: Ayes 29, noes 42.

Assemblyman Benton changed his vote to no, to move for reconsideration.

The chief argument made by Assemblyman Crittenden, Heisenberger and Graves was, inasmuch as the people had expressed themselves against a similar amendment at the last general election, the legislators should be influenced to vote down the Benton bill.

The Majority of the Los Angeles delegation voted for the Benton bill and most of the San Francisco delegation against it. The bill provided for a separate board of examiners for chiropractors apart from the state board of medical examiners.

Contra Costa County

Attorney A. S. Ormsby of Martinez, who is ill and confined to his home, is reported to be improving. He has been confined to his home several weeks.

H. J. Drotloff of Berkeley has leased the Joost building in Martinez and will open a grocery store in the place formerly occupied by a delicatessen.

County Clerk J. H. Wells and family, accompanied by Mrs. Ernest Wells and family of Portland, spent Sunday with relatives in Berkeley.

Once a Week Advertising Good Paying Investment

It is a sad commentary upon small town business men that they don't see the advantage to them of carrying an advertisement in the small town newspaper once a week.

Not one in a thousand publishers is compensated anywhere near what he is worth to the merchants and to the community in which he lives and to whose interests he dedicates his life.

Every editor of a weekly newspaper is constantly working in behalf of every merchant in his community, whether the merchant patronizes the local newspaper or not. But every merchant of every community, unfortunately, does not have the business foresight to see that it is to his own personal advantage to patronize his home town newspaper by advertising and telling the people what he has to sell, how it can be used and what it costs. It is a business proposition pure and simple, and a good one at that.

Southern California Is Water-Soaked

Los Angeles, March 17.—Southern California has just received one of the most thorough drenchings in its history. For forty hours the rain poured down in torrents. Basements were flooded, streams were out of their banks and lowlands were inundated.

THE TERMINAL is on file in all the public libraries in Contra Costa county and has hundreds of readers.

Richmond's City Park Committee Comes to Life

The city's park committee is reported as having awakened to the needs of Richmond's fast growing population. The committee held a meeting Monday to discuss public parks. A number of park sites have been submitted, and some will be recommended to the city council.

All propositions will be submitted to the voters, at the May election or a special later in the year.

Park sites now being considered are:

1. The Butts place—29 acres adjacent, offered by F. A. Moitoza.
2. Grand Canyon Park.
3. Four-acre tract and chateau and the four-acre ball park near Grand Canyon park.
4. Block 20 of Wall's Harbor Center Tract.
5. Choice of any portion of the 525-acre tract on San Pablo Creek owned by Robert H. Collins of San Leandro.
6. Little Cerrito—The large natural mound near the bay shore in Southeast Richmond.

Richmond Leads in Percentage Increase

Richmond leads all the bay cities in percentage increase in population. From 1910 to 1920, San Francisco increased in population 21.5 per cent; Oakland, 44 per cent; Alameda, 23.2; Berkeley, 38.8; Richmond, 98.2.

Although Richmond's population is conservatively estimated at 25,000, it is known that 30,000 comes nearer the exact figures.

Richmond's population in 1930, at the present rate of increase, will be near 80,000.

Passing of "Scotty"

Scott Lindley, an employee of the Santa Fe shops, who recently died in Oakland from gas poisoning, caused from inhaling fumes from an oil stove, was quite a favorite among his shop co-workers and is greatly missed by them. Everything was done to save his life, but to no avail. He died at an emergency hospital.

Bakery Changes Hands

William Hineman has purchased the Home bakery of John Gustafson at 246 6th street, and has taken possession. Mr. Hineman comes highly recommended as a baker, and has acquired a most prosperous business in taking over the Home bakery. The Gustafsons will move to their ranch, three miles north of Richmond.

Shelter For Passengers

A diminutive waiting room has been constructed by the traction company at Cutting boulevard and Pullman avenues for sheltering passengers who wait for cars at this locality. The city council requested the company to make the improvement.

Good Railroad Crossing

The S. P. has completed the 23d street crossing near the Santa Fe viaduct and now motor vehicles will not have so many "ups and downs" in crossing the tracks. The chances for motor vehicles stalling and frequent accidents at the crossing will now be minimized.

Really Indian Invention. Arabic figures were invented not by the Arabs but by the Indians.

Redlight Bill Passes Senate by a Vote of 22 to 13

Sacramento, March 17.—The Duncan Redlight bill was carried in the senate yesterday by a vote of 22 to 13.

Senator W. E. Duncan of Oroville introduced the bill and led the fight on the floor for its passage. He declared that the present act was thwarted by the "appeal-pending" dodge.

Lyons of Los Angeles opposed the bill on the ground that the law was abused by politicians, who "framed" raids, and that many places are open pending appeals—clear cases of framing.

Bootleggers Against Fake Federal Agents

Reports are being circulated that fake federal agents are arresting bootleggers and still operators in the eastern part of Contra Costa county and then turning them loose on payment of "hush money." The chief victims of these fake officers are said to be Japanese and other foreigners.

Deputy Sheriff Wm. Veale is investigating to ascertain the truth of these statements.

Jury Acquits Clara S. Hamon of Murder Charge

Ardmore, Oklahoma, March 15.—After a deliberation of forty minutes the jury acquitted Clara Smith Hamon of the murder of Jake Hamon, millionaire politician and oil man.

CEMETERY FOR FAMILY PETS

Graveyard at Dedham, Mass., Testimony to the Affection in Which Dumb Animals Are Held.

Fresh wreaths of evergreen placed on tiny graves in Pine Ridge cemetery for cats and dogs at Dedham, Mass., bear testimony that former family pets are not forgotten. This cemetery, the only one for animals in this part of the country, is controlled by the Animal Rescue league, and now contains 400 graves.

The lot is situated in a sunny little valley. In its center, with a background of green shrubbery, is a tablet surmounted by the statue of a white poodle, sitting up as if begging for attention. The inscription reads: "To the many dogs who have given their lives in the service of man."

In the winter, when the ground is too hard to admit burial, there is a receiving vault, where the body is kept until spring. There is also a crematory operated by the Animal Rescue league at a charge of a few dollars for each cremation.

A plain granite cube over one grave is marked: "In Memory of Master Billy Arliss." This is the last resting place of the fluffy white terrier of George Arliss, the actor.

SELFISH EVE



Mother—Why did you strike your little sister?
Young Bobby—Well, we were playing Adam and Eve and instead of tempting me with the apple, she ate it herself.

San Francisco "Cops" Ordered to Shoot to Kill

San Francisco, March 17.—Chief of Police O'Brien has issued orders for all patrolmen to shoot to kill and take no chances with burglars and crooks, as did Patrolman Frank Hobson, who was shot by a burglar Sunday night. Commanders were directed by the chief never to send one patrolman alone in answer to night calls.

Dr. E. R. Dille Dedicates Martinez M. E. Church

Dr. E. R. Dille, pioneer M. E. minister of the bay region, preached at the dedicatory exercises of the re-opening of the Martinez Methodist church last Sunday. The church has been closed for repairs. Dr. Dille dedicated this church 39 years ago. He is about the only pioneer M. E. minister left of the "old school" of the bay city clergy.

Ex-Governor Frank O. Lowden of Illinois Will Speak at Charter Day Exercises At University of California



Frank O. Lowden, ex-governor of Illinois and former candidate for the republican nomination for president at the Chicago convention at which President Harding was nominated, will be the guest of President David P. Barrows of the University of California next week, and will be speaker at the Charter Day exercises of the university, Wednesday, March 23.

Albany Airplane Plant Turns Out New Model

The Jacuzzi airplane factory on San Pablo in South Albany, tried out their new monoplane at Durant Field, Oakland, yesterday.

Five persons were in the plane when the demonstration was made. The plane is a seven-passenger, 200-horse power Hall Scott motor.

The cabin of the plane is entirely enclosed and elaborately furnished.

Postals From Sheriff Veale

Postal cards from Sheriff R. R. Veale enroute to Australia have been received from Honolulu. He reports a splendid trip so far.

True, women's clothes still cost a good deal. But then, just think what they have to show for it.

Daily Average School Attendance Increasing

Constable's Office at Martinez Invaded By Cupid

Martinez, March 17.—Constable Charles Palmer has been captured by Dan Cupid, and is now on a honeymoon trip in Sutter county, where they produce the fine peaches. Palmer's incentive to work in double harness is the climax of one of those real, genuine romances. He will answer all inquiries on his return from the Feather river country. His bride was Miss Rose Rea of Alameda.

In Scotland successful experiments have been made of manufacturing paper from sawdust.

School Figures Show Richmond's Rapid Growth

Contra Costa county's population is so "top-sided" that the apportionment of state school funds as reported by County Supt. W. H. Haulon, gives Richmond a boost which at once attracts the attention of visitors and investors.

It also attracts the attention of "agitators of county division," who know that Richmond is the "center" of the county's population and is justly entitled to autonomy and a fair representation, which she is not getting under present political conditions and control.

Co. Supt. Haulon reports Richmond's average school attendance at 2658.

The total average attendance of all the western school districts of the county (Carquinez, Lafayette, Martinez, Pinole-Hercules, Port Costa, Rodeo, San Pablo, Selby and Sobrante), is 1544.

Richmond has an average daily attendance of 2658, or 1114 more pupils than all the other western school districts of the county.

The total allowance of state school funds is \$49,751.38. Of this amount Richmond receives \$17,117.52, according to the report submitted.

Clipped Smiles

A lot of merchants are stopping their advertising because business is bad. They should also stop their life insurance because their health is bad.

The example of the helpful hen may well be studied by followers of the industries these days. Although the price of eggs has fallen 24 cents a dozen in the last two weeks, she goes right on producing just the same.

An Illinois fine Holstein heifer and a reward for its return one good drink of whiskey. The next day twelve heifers were brought in.

seems to remember that he was a fool before that.

RANDOM COMMENT

President Harding will receive a salary of \$75,000. His income tax will be \$18,000, which will reduce his salary 25 per cent. President Willson was exempt from paying income tax on the grounds that he was in the White House at the time the law was enacted. Under the constitution, his salary could not be reduced while he was in office.

It is stated that the progressives headed by Borah, Johnson and Kenyon announce their intention of stirring up public sentiment against "standpat ideas" through the press. Whether the ideas of government championed by the progressives or those of the standpatters shall be established as the policies of the new congress, remains to be seen.

A printing office in North Dakota, publishes the statement that it is the only printery in the world that derives its power from the wind. This is a claim for unique distinction, and is subject to "attack" by the jocose paragraphers.

It was in THE TERMINAL.

NEW BOOZE RULING CHANGES LIMIT

Beer and Wine May Be Made for Non-Beverage Purposes, Says Former Attorney-General Palmer

Washington, D. C., March 9.—The new ruling on the manufacture of beer and wine, which was announced by the attorney general today, makes it possible for all alcoholic liquors to be used for medicinal and other non-beverage purposes, and for all to be manufactured and sold for these purposes, subject only to limitations of the Volstead act on non-beverage intoxicants.

The ruling, one of the most important since the advent of prohibition, makes it possible for all alcoholic liquors to be used for medicinal and other non-beverage purposes, and for all to be manufactured and sold for these purposes, subject only to limitations of the Volstead act on non-beverage intoxicants.

The opinion was written by former Attorney-General Palmer, and was in reply to questions from internal revenue and prohibition officials bearing on construction of half a dozen moot points in the law.

There were many rumors that the opinion had wrecked plans of dry advocates to obtain further restriction of liquor sales. Officials refused to comment on the reports, however, but Wayne R. Wheeler, general counsel for the Anti-Saloon League, in a statement, said thirty-nine states had state codes prohibiting the prescribing of beer for medicinal purposes. He declared that the opinion was not in accord with the purpose of the Federal law.

"Congress clearly did not intend to attempt to legalize what the state laws prohibit," he said. "Unless the opinion is overruled, Congress should amend the law. It was difficult to overrule it because the government and brewers are on the same side and there is no one to contest it, unless the new attorney general overrules the opinion."

The opinion appeared ambiguous in some respects, officials said, and as a result they could not determine whether the government had power to limit prescriptions a physician may write except that the law specifies no more than a pint per person in ten days. Palmer declared he believed the purpose of Congress was to leave the physician "unfettered by government control," yet he thought regulations might properly restrict the amount sold on a prescription.

Palmer called attention to provisions of law which apparently had left the physician to act on his judgment. He suggested that when a physician abused the privilege he could be dealt with criminally, but added that in no case should the judgment of the physician be supplanted by that of enforcement officials.

Replying to the question whether the government could restrict permits to manufacturers, sell or prescribe, Palmer explained that the Volstead act had limited only classes to which permits could be issued and had permitted no discrimination between persons within these classes. He said the withholding of permits could not be done locally, even though officials were convinced fewer permits would suffice in any given state or city.

Palmer advised officials that they had "ample authority" to write such regulations as they believed necessary to make certain enforcement of the law. Dry advocates stressed this statement, declaring that if means would be found which would circumvent and handling the sale of beer and wine, and would not throw open the door to manufacture of quantities of high alcohol beer again, as anti-prohibitionists insisted.

MARY E. HART DIES FROM INHALING GAS

Los Angeles, March 9.—Mrs. Mary E. Hart, 65, Alaskan gold miner, newspaper reporter, lecturer, and known about home as the first lady in Alaska, died today of inhaling illuminating gas. She was a guest in the home of Mrs. Lenore King, 3418 North Broadway. Ill health and the fear of a serious operation that physicians declined, she must undergo are thought to have caused the suicide, according to the police, who made a complete investigation before the body was removed to the coroner.

Mrs. Hart, after locking the doors of her room in the King home, stopped the cracks in the doors and windows with blankets, and then turned on the gas. The body was discovered by Miss King, who notified the police.

LIST OF DRAFT EVADERS TO BE PUBLISHED SOON

Washington.—The names of persons who evaded the selective service law will be made public by draft districts as rapidly as the lists can be compiled by the local draft boards. It was announced at the War Department, as soon as the final check for a complete THREE—45953—Amer. Type. Can district has been received at the War Department the compiled lists will be made available to the press. It was announced. It was understood that the last district compilation would be completed within a few days.

WIFE INVITED TO QUIT TRAIN AND FILE SUIT

President of Steel Company Charged With Keeping "Second Mrs. Wirt"

Valparaiso, Ind.—Mrs. Nellie Wirt took the stand March 9 in the suit for divorce from her husband, Chester E. Wirt, president of the Aetna Iron and Steel Company. She charges he maintained a "second Mrs. Wirt" on an estate near Syracuse, N. Y.

After telling of her husband's meteoric financial career at Gary, Ind., where he became the head of a bank and several business establishments, Mrs. Wirt described his meetings with an "adventuress" from Indianapolis who later was known as Mrs. Jennie R. Wirt.

"Oh, hell, O, hell was the way he greeted me," Mrs. Wirt testified as she told of the discovery of her rival. "I found her with my husband on a train. They had their belongings in the same bag. He invited me to get off at South Bend and get a divorce. He did not tell me about buying the house in Syracuse. I learned it through a picture in a Syracuse paper. He bought a home for us in Crown Point, Ind. He left on home July 21, 1915. I saw the Syracuse house from the outside in July 1920. I went to the Syracuse farm New Year's day, 1920, with Mrs. Matthews of Gary. I told a farmhand there I was Mrs. Wirt and he looked at me much surprised. I saw Jennie R. Smith, who also was known as Jennie R. Wirt."

The court ruled on the letter Mrs. Wirt identified as one she intercepted in 1911, beginning "My dear Chester. Her husband told her somebody else had written that letter and sent it to him. After this letter she noticed he was getting penurious with her. July 8, 1917, a telegram came which her husband refused to reveal until she made him get a copy after he had checked on the original. Mrs. Wirt in August, 1918, obtained a letter type written beginning "My dear Boy."

Her husband refused to tell her whom it was from. The court allowed this letter to be read as evidence. "You are the best boy that ever was. When are you coming home? I wish you could come, for I am lonesome for you. I am as ever your own girl." Postscripts penciled "lots of love and love XX." She identified the entry on the Auburn Hotel register of July 1, 1919, "E. C. Wirt and wife, Syracuse, N. Y." as her husband's signature. She said she was never in that hotel. She employed the two detectives who obtained the photograph of that hotel register page.

HARDSHIPS ENDURED BY MARINES IN CHINA

Peking.—Fourteen marines from the American legation guard are serving as engineers, and assistant engineers on the road construction work which is being done in the Peking district by the American Red Cross for the purpose of affording occupation to destitute Chinese. They are volunteers who willingly gave up a comfortable station in Peking for a four-year life of considerable hardship in a dreary country, and have taken hold with true American spirit.

This work entails, on the part of the division engineers, days on end in the middle moving from one end of the division to the other and with none to comfortable living quarters and one of the men writes back to his mother that after the day's work he goes to bed to keep warm.

The road under construction extends from Tschow, Shantung, to Lintung, sixty-eight miles southwest on the Grand canal. It is divided into three divisions of about equal lengths and each division is in charge of an engineer and one or two assistants. Captain Lawrence Impey, of the British army, who was engineer-in-chief, fell a victim to influenza and Lieutenant O. Robert was placed in temporary charge of the whole work. Comment upon the service of the marines, Robert writes:

"All divisions could continue to be handled by marines in the same way as they have been handled to date. It would be greatly to the credit of the American guard." It appears that some technical objection has arisen with respect to further employment of the marines in the work in question. Incidentally it is reported that dogs such as have escaped the stew pot have become in their famished condition as savage as wolves. This is borne out by a line in a letter from Lieutenant Robert which says:

"Was attacked by dogs at Ku Shui Pu and had to shoot one." He also says that their work is hampered by people removing the stakes which mark the right-of-way for use as firewood.

Robert recommends that the present force of marines be retained on the construction work, both because of the credit accruing to the Legation Guard and because the Red Cross has great need of them, since foreign volunteers are scarce.

Exeter, H. C. Balaam, returning from Arizona, reports his arrest in a town called Mormontown for smoking a cigar. After being convinced by the policeman that it was no joke Balaam was released on explaining his ignorance of the laws. He was told of the city ordinance against use of tobacco, first offense being punishable by thirty days in jail.

Golden State News TERSELY TOLD

Watsonville, Mrs. Elizabeth Dondero, mother of Jerome T. Dondero of this city, connected with the Pajaro Valley National Bank, died suddenly in a local theater here March 9.

San Francisco.—Thomas J. Rowan, 52 years old, for twenty-two years a member of the San Francisco police department, died March 11 from heart trouble in his home, 1328 Haight Street. Rowan served at the Harbor and North End police stations. A widow survives.

Modesto.—Too much hilarity at a wedding party in Waterford March 10, led one of the guests to fire his pistol at random. The bullet, discharged in fun, struck a piece of metal and deflected into the leg of Edward Ketchell. Festivities ceased and Ketchell was taken to a hospital. His wound is not serious.

Los Angeles.—An airplane and an automobile collided here March 9 with the result that two persons were injured, one possibly fatally. Both plane and motor car were damaged. Albert E. Webb and his son, Albert E. Webb, Jr., started to motor across an aviation field as the plane was landing. The pilot could not see the automobile until too late to avoid a collision. The elder Webb was cut and bruised. His son suffered a dislocated shoulder and possibly a fracture of the skull. The pilot was uninjured.

Yreka.—Harry W. Orr, a farmer of Gazelle, was brought to a local hospital by C. E. Pangborn in Paugborn's aeroplane. The twenty miles was covered in twelve minutes. Time was not so important as smoothness of travel. The roads are so rough it was deemed unwise to transport Orr in a wagon or automobile. Well protected by pillows the farmer made the aerial journey without a jar. Pangborn says he has established the first ambulance line by the aerial route in the State.

Marysville.—"This food was good, the rooms fair, and service acceptable, but the guests—on the level, Mr. Washburn, everybody in that place was plum crazy! I stood it for a month and then I climbed over the wall and walked home. Yuba suits me." So spoke Peter Johnson, who was sent to the Stockton State Hospital from here a month ago when he walked into the Yuba County Hospital and asked Superintendent Charles Washburn if there was anyone in his old room. He escaped from the Stockton Hospital and walked all the way to Marysville. He will be taken back to Stockton.

San Francisco.—Benedict Komza, aged 29, and a woman, Mrs. Kazimiera Zukauski, of the same age and nationality, who is alleged to have deserted her husband and three infant children in Schenectady, N. Y., to come to San Francisco with Komza, were arrested and booked at the city prison on charges of vagrancy, with bail fixed at \$1000 each. The woman was arrested in the Humboldt bank while she was awaiting the transfer of \$1000 given her by her husband and which she deposited in a Schenectady bank before the elopement.

San Diego.—Fred W. Nash, a mining engineer of national reputation, was instantly killed on Mussey grade near Ramona, March 11, when the automobile he was driving plunged 100 feet down the side of a precipice. Nash was pinned under the steering wheel of the machine. Frank G. Webb and John Bowen, mining men, who were riding in the rear seat of the automobile, were thrown out when the machine left the highway and both escaped injury. Nash was 48 years old and is survived by a widow and two children.

Santa Cruz.—Mrs. May Baldwin McCallan died in this city March 9. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Baldwin, the investors of her father being the first settlers at the Berkshires in Massachusetts in 1770. Mrs. McCallan was the wife of L. E. McCallan and was one of the most prominent women in the city. She was a past president of the Native Daughters of the Golden West, a charter member of the Women's Exchange and Decorative Art Society, of the Daughters of the American Revolution, the Red Cross, and the Women's Relief Corps. She was a communicant of St. Mary's Church and as a memorial to her parents some years ago presented the Congregational Church with a parsonage, known as the Baldwin memorial.

POLICEMAN BITTEN, ACCUSES MRS. BARBARA MOORHEAD

San Francisco.—Mrs. Barbara Moorhead, who created a scene at Montgomery and Kearny streets Monday afternoon, March 7, when she resisted arrest by Traffic Policeman William Ludwig, her husband, Otis B. Moorhead, was arrested for interference. Policeman Ludwig appeared in court with his right hand bandaged, asserting Mrs. Moorhead bit him when he attempted to arrest her for violating a traffic regulation. Moorhead interfered and Ludwig and Traffic Policeman Samuel Miller shackled the husband to a post while they took Mrs. Moorhead to the City Prison.

BOY SCOUTS (Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America)

NEW BOY SCOUT UNIFORMS

For the first time since the organization of the Boy Scouts of America and the adoption of the khaki uniform which has become so popular with the boys of the country, the style of that official uniform has been changed. The new style was adopted more than a year ago and the changed patterns became standard January 1.

The uniform of the Boy Scouts of America is protected by Section 125 of the Army Reorganization Law. This prohibits anyone from wearing a uniform similar to that worn by the United States army, navy, or marine corps, but excepts officers or enlisted men of the National Guard, the Boy Scouts of America, the naval militia, or such other organizations as the secretary of war may designate.

The new coat has unusually large pockets, spacious enough, in fact, to hold about everything any lad ever wanted to get into his clothes, and that is saying a lot. It has a lapel collar and a Norfolk built-in belt, too late to avoid a collision. The elder Webb was cut and bruised. His son suffered a dislocated shoulder and possibly a fracture of the skull. The pilot was uninjured.

That there may be no delay he has nominated Dr. Charles E. Sawyer, of Marion, Ohio, a man of long and practical experience in such matters, to a brigadier-general in the medical section of the officers' reserve corps of the United States army and there by securing the service of Dr. Sawyer as physician at the White House when professional attention is necessary, but also giving to him direct authority to make a thorough investigation of the needs of these subjects and to present the accumulated facts with such suggestions as his observations may warrant in the bringing about of the concrete plan of coordination and most efficient and economic operation of these affairs. Dr. Sawyer's duties are to begin immediately.

"During the war Dr. Sawyer served in the medical section of the council of national defense, spending about a year in Washington."

WOMAN FALLS OUT OF WINDOW ON FIFTH FLOOR

San Francisco.—Mrs. Carlotta Lesta, 44 years old, wife of J. S. Lesta, an importer and trader now traveling in Mexico, was fatally injured at 4 a. m. March 9, in a fall from a window on the fifth floor of the Charlemagne Apartments, 1925 Geary street. She died an hour later.

The police and coroner's deputies are puzzled to know whether the woman leaped with suicidal intent or whether she lost her balance and fell during a spell of faintness. In a moment of consciousness she stated that she had fallen from the window.

Policeman Michael Mantell found the woman, clad only in her night dress, lying on the sidewalk. He hailed a passing taxicab driven by E. J. Downing, 619 Jones street, and took her to the Central Emergency Hospital, where the efforts of surgeons failed to save her life.

En route to the hospital Mrs. Lesta regained consciousness, according to Mantell, and declared she had fallen from the window.

"I awoke very ill," she said, "I felt stiffed, I went to the window for air and I must have fallen. I was very dizzy."

Mrs. Lesta was staying at the apartment of her brother, Antonio Monte-negro, who is an official of the People's Packing Company, and it was from the window of his rooms that she fell. She was the daughter of a local physician.

Montenegro, her brother, discredits the theory that she may have leaped with suicidal intent. He told the police that his sister had been melancholy since the death of her mother some time ago, but said also that she had been ill and subject to faintness, and that he believes she fell from the window during a spell of dizziness.

SCHOOL ESSAYS ON SCOUTING

More than 300,000 essays were written in one day in the elementary schools of New York city on the subject "What Boy Scouts Can Do for Greater New York." This was the regular work for a study period. The idea is being taken up in many other cities, resulting in valuable suggestions for civic betterment.

SCOUTS SOLVE HOUSE PROBLEM

The Springfield (Mass.) Union tells how a group of local boy scouts helped a woman to solve her housing problem by assisting her in building her house. The boys gave their Saturdays and holidays to the service. They erected the front and rear porches, put on the clapboards and laid the upstairs flooring and other inside jobs.

BOY SCOUT NOTES

The citizens of Hebardville, Ga., are promoting a memorial for a local boy scout soldier in the form of a community building to be used for boy scout and other young people's activities. Before it was three months old the Wausau (Wis.) boy scout council received from M. C. Ewink, its president, as a gift, an 85-acre tract near that city, with house and barn. It will be an all-year camp site.

PUBLIC HEALTH JOB FOR HARDING'S DOCTOR

Dr. Sawyer Nominated by President for National Program

Washington.—Dr. C. E. Sawyer, nominated by President Harding to be White House physician with the rank of brigadier-general in the army medical reserve corps, also will make an investigation of public health matters for Harding. He will be authorized to formulate suggestions for a concrete plan of coordination of government agencies for safeguarding public welfare.

This was disclosed in a statement issued at the White House. The assignment of Dr. Sawyer to this work was taken as the first step by President Harding to carry out his previously announced plan for the creation of a new governmental department of public welfare.

"President Harding," said the White House statement, "has long since been convinced that the affairs relating to public welfare, such as public health, education and social justice, are so intimately related and so vital to the nation's perpetuity, that he has decided to begin at once a careful survey of all matters pertaining to these subjects."

"That there may be no delay he has nominated Dr. Charles E. Sawyer, of Marion, Ohio, a man of long and practical experience in such matters, to a brigadier-general in the medical section of the officers' reserve corps of the United States army and there by securing the service of Dr. Sawyer as physician at the White House when professional attention is necessary, but also giving to him direct authority to make a thorough investigation of the needs of these subjects and to present the accumulated facts with such suggestions as his observations may warrant in the bringing about of the concrete plan of coordination and most efficient and economic operation of these affairs. Dr. Sawyer's duties are to begin immediately."

"During the war Dr. Sawyer served in the medical section of the council of national defense, spending about a year in Washington."

WOMAN FALLS OUT OF WINDOW ON FIFTH FLOOR

San Francisco.—Mrs. Carlotta Lesta, 44 years old, wife of J. S. Lesta, an importer and trader now traveling in Mexico, was fatally injured at 4 a. m. March 9, in a fall from a window on the fifth floor of the Charlemagne Apartments, 1925 Geary street. She died an hour later.

The police and coroner's deputies are puzzled to know whether the woman leaped with suicidal intent or whether she lost her balance and fell during a spell of faintness. In a moment of consciousness she stated that she had fallen from the window.

Policeman Michael Mantell found the woman, clad only in her night dress, lying on the sidewalk. He hailed a passing taxicab driven by E. J. Downing, 619 Jones street, and took her to the Central Emergency Hospital, where the efforts of surgeons failed to save her life.

En route to the hospital Mrs. Lesta regained consciousness, according to Mantell, and declared she had fallen from the window.

"I awoke very ill," she said, "I felt stiffed, I went to the window for air and I must have fallen. I was very dizzy."

Mrs. Lesta was staying at the apartment of her brother, Antonio Monte-negro, who is an official of the People's Packing Company, and it was from the window of his rooms that she fell. She was the daughter of a local physician.

Montenegro, her brother, discredits the theory that she may have leaped with suicidal intent. He told the police that his sister had been melancholy since the death of her mother some time ago, but said also that she had been ill and subject to faintness, and that he believes she fell from the window during a spell of dizziness.

SCHOOL ESSAYS ON SCOUTING

More than 300,000 essays were written in one day in the elementary schools of New York city on the subject "What Boy Scouts Can Do for Greater New York." This was the regular work for a study period. The idea is being taken up in many other cities, resulting in valuable suggestions for civic betterment.

SCOUTS SOLVE HOUSE PROBLEM

The Springfield (Mass.) Union tells how a group of local boy scouts helped a woman to solve her housing problem by assisting her in building her house. The boys gave their Saturdays and holidays to the service. They erected the front and rear porches, put on the clapboards and laid the upstairs flooring and other inside jobs.

BOY SCOUT NOTES

The citizens of Hebardville, Ga., are promoting a memorial for a local boy scout soldier in the form of a community building to be used for boy scout and other young people's activities. Before it was three months old the Wausau (Wis.) boy scout council received from M. C. Ewink, its president, as a gift, an 85-acre tract near that city, with house and barn. It will be an all-year camp site.

THREE DEAD IN LODI TRAGEDY

Japanese Kills White Woman, Her Daughter, and Ends Own Life

Lodi.—Death ended a love drama that involved a Japanese and a white woman and took the life of a little girl who looked on in innocence, March 9, when Y. Yamauchi killed Mrs. Magdalene Loney and her little 5-year-old daughter, Adeline, with a revolver, and then sped a bullet into his own brain.

Yamauchi was a farm hand on the great Grizzoli-Bauer ranch near Lodi. For nineteen years he had lived in the same small cabin on the ranch. He was 50 years old.

Mrs. Loney was a widow of the same age. She lived on an adjoining ranch with her little daughter and her son, George Hollenstein, child by a former marriage.

The intimacy between the white woman and the Oriental was of long standing, the son said, and the little girl was wont to sit upon the knee of the Japanese, call him endearing names and kiss him playfully. For this, Adeline was shunned by other children of the neighborhood and Mrs. Loney secretly lashed by the tongue of gossip about the ranches.

Wednesday evening, March 9, the mother and child went to the cabin of Yamauchi and did not return. Hollenstein went in search of them. He received no response to his rapping on the door. There was no light in the cabin and he presumed that no one was at home. His mother and sister failed to return during the night.

The following morning he went again to the cabin and, unsuccessful in arousing its occupants, forced a side window and entered. On the bed, side by side, lay his mother and little sister, dead. Stretched upon the floor at the foot of the bed lay the body of the Japanese. The mother had bullet wounds in her breast and abdomen. The little girl had been shot through the neck and stomach. Yamauchi had sent the remaining bullet in the revolver into his head. The weapon lay on the floor near the dead man.

The bodies were removed to the morgue.

It was learned that the Japanese and white woman had passed Monday evening, March 7, together in Stockton and had quarreled upon their return.

According to Ray Hollenstein, another son, who lived apart from Mrs. Loney, the Japanese had been warned to stay away from the Loney ranch. He discards the theory of jealousy and believes the murder due to the hopelessness of the situation.

MRS. AYLETT COTTON, SOCIAL LEADER, SUCCEUMS

San Francisco.—Mrs. Aylett R. Cotton, for many years a prominent figure in social and civic affairs, died March 10 at the Children's Hospital after a brief illness that began with a severe cold and developed into bronchial trouble. She was one of the founders, and was past president of the California Club, a member of the woman's board of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, and during the last two Presidential campaigns was a member of the Republican State Central Committee. She was a delegate to the national convention of the party at Chicago in 1916.

Mrs. Cotton was the widow of the late Judge Aylett R. Cotton. She was married to him in 1873, when he was a member of Congress from Iowa, and went as a bride to the National Capital, where she lived for two years. In 1883 she came to California. She was an ardent worker in the woman's suffrage movement with Susan B. Anthony. The first Susan B. Anthony Club met at Mrs. Cotton's home.

Mrs. Cotton was born in Pennsylvania in 1854. She was the mother of Aylett R. Cotton Jr., attorney. Mrs. Claudine Cotton Warren and the late Stewart W. Cotton.

BOY ABANDONS GIRL FIANCEE AND ELOPES WITH MOTHER

St. Louis, Mo.—Phillips, nine-year-old son of a Louisville, Ky., dentist, and his bride of four days, Mrs. Luella Gaines Phillips, 42 years old, checked in at the Auditorium Hotel March 8. Back in the Kentucky city they left a slip of a girl nursing a sore heart.

The girl is Mrs. Phillips' daughter, and, according to press dispatches, the youthful husband's former fiancée, Winston wooed the daughter, but he wed the mother.

Mrs. Phillips is the widow of a wealthy civil engineer. Reports from Louisville indicate she had approved of her present husband as prospective son-in-law before the complications that resulted in a secret wedding last Saturday set in.

Mrs. Phillips answered her room phone at the hotel. She was asked concerning the report that she had married her daughter's fiancée.

"The less said about this the better we shall like it," she said. "We were married Saturday and we are going to Los Angeles, where Mr. Phillips will go into business."

1,121,631 PEOPLE ON S. F. BAY

Thirty Per Cent of State Population Make Homes in This District

San Francisco.—The population bordering on San Francisco Bay as given in the bulletin of the Department of Commerce, just issued, is 1,121,631.

This bulletin, which gives statistical tables of the 1920 census, and detailed figures of the growth of cities and counties of the State, gives the final count of the inhabitants of California as 3,426,861.

These statistics show that 30 per cent of the population of the State is in the counties bordering on San Francisco Bay or in the metropolitan area of San Francisco.

The bulletin shows California's average number of inhabitants to the square mile in 1920 is 22, as against 15.3 in 1910 and 9.5 in 1900.

The tables show that forty-four of the State's fifty-eight counties have increased, and fourteen have decreased in population since 1910.

Showing the drift of the people from the country to the cities, the proportion of population living in places of more than 2500 inhabitants has increased from 61.8 to 65 per cent during the last ten years.

There are eighteen counties in California, according to the bulletin, where there are no incorporated towns of 2500 population or over. These counties are: Alpine, Amador, Calaveras, Colusa, Del Norte, El Dorado, Glenn, Inyo, Lake, Lassen, Mariposa, Modoc, Mono, Plumas, Sierra, Sutter, Trinity and Tuolumne.

The smallest incorporated town in the State, according to the bulletin, is Coram, in Shasta County, with a population of 32.

GIRL HELD PRISONER FOUND BY WHISKY RAIDERS

Oakland.—Detained for three months as an alleged consort for father and son, Miss Geneva Fuller, 18-year-old girl, was rescued from her plight when Police Inspector William Kyle raided the home of Albert Ubonille, 704 Forty-fifth Street, in quest of an illicit still.

The elder Ubonille and his son, Renato, are now in the city jail charged jointly with violation of the prohibition amendment and contributing to the delinquency of a minor. The girl is being held at the detention home.

After Kyle raided the place and discovered a still and nearly 100 gallons of liquor, he found the girl secluded in a small bedroom. She was taken into custody with the father and son and told Inspector Kyle of her three months' existence in the place.

She said she was left stranded with the separation of her parents, three months ago, and unable to find employment went to the Ubonille home after meeting the son at a dance. While she was given certain liberties during the day, she says, she was never permitted to leave the place at night. She admitted that she had made no efforts to notify the police.

Because of the fact that she coaxed her eighteenth birthday only a few weeks ago and was living with the men for more than two months prior to becoming of age, the pair are guilty of a statutory offense, Acting Captain of Inspectors Tim Flynn stated in charging them.

NATURALISTS GET TROPHIES OF ECUADOR HEAD HUNTERS

New York.—Tales of head-hunting savages, who worship the devil and spend their lives in gathering wild animal skins to use in purchasing wives, were told by George E. Cherish, famous explorer, and Harold Anthony of the American Museum of Natural History, who returned from Southern Ecuador. Among the 2500 specimens they brought back are the heads of two Jayaro Indians, slain in a tribal battle the explorers witnessed. The natives hunt with a blowpipe from 10 to 15 feet long, and an expert native, by using a "bullet," a little ball of hard clay, can kill his object at 500 feet. The explorers said there was a shortage of women among the Indians, although many men seemed to have plenty of wives. Twenty skins is the normal price of a wife.

Redwood City.—Isadore Bernstein, Los Angeles motion picture producer, in addressing the Chamber of Commerce at a banquet given at the Sequoia Hotel here March 8, asked that Redwood City donate a twenty-acre site and \$50,000 to a motion picture studios company, which he said was being organized and which would probably be called "The Redburn Studios Corporation." Among others who spoke were L. E. Capp, also a motion picture man, and Eugene Levy of San Francisco. Chairman F. K. Towne of the chamber appointed the following as a committee to investigate Bernstein's proposition and makes recommendations: Daniel Stafford, A. D. Walsh, L. P. Behrens, W. P. Gray and Charles G. Lambert.

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"DRIVE ON," SHE SAID
There were many curious people who dwelt upon the Eastern shores in bygone days, but one of the most eccentric men known among the Eastern Shore men was John Custis III, who inherited "Arlington" after which the Pocomske estate was named. (Arlington is located just below Cape Charles).

This John Custis married Frances Parke, daughter of Daniel Parke, governor of the Leeward Islands (West Indies), and their son, Daniel Parke Custis (early judge of Somerset County, Maryland), was the first husband of Martha Dandridge, afterward Martha Washington. John Custis and Frances Parke lived at Arlington many years. The marriage seems to have been a very unhappy one and many stories of their disagreements, which led to conflicts, have been handed down from generation to generation. It is said that for weeks at a time the people lived together without speaking to each other. During those periods of silence, communications were conveyed by the servants.

As an illustration, Mrs. Custis would say to the butler: "Pamper, ask your master if he will have coffee or tea, and sugar, and cream," and to the servant's question, Mr. Custis would reply: "Tell your mistress that I will have coffee as usual with no cream."

Following a long spell when the couple had not spoken to each other, Mr. Custis dressed himself with great care one day, ordered his best horse and gig to the door, and in a very polite and dignified manner invited Mrs. Custis to accompany him on a drive. "Certainly, sir; I will be delighted; but what has caused this unusual courtesy?" inquired the grand

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"Missus, ask your husband if he did not get an old pair of trousers to give me?"

When the spinster, anxious not to expose her solitude, replied: "I am sorry, my good man, but he never wears such things." — *Harpers' (Excerpt)*

A postal card to Garfield Tea Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., asking for a sample will repay you. Adv.

EDITOR'S APOLOGY

The Thomas Cat is not up to its regular high standard this week, owing to the fact that we have spent nearly the whole week writing an intellectual wad for Leo Giles, form paper on the subject of "The Inhumanity of Deforming Hydraulic Rams." — *Arkansas Thomas Cat*

FOOLISHNESS

There was a young man from the city.

Who saw what he thought was a kitty.

He gave it a pat.

And soon after that.

He buried his clothes, what a pity.

— *Boys' Life*

REAL BRAVERY

Read. He's what I call a brave man.

Greene. What do you mean by a brave man?

"He's not afraid to die."

"How do you know he's not afraid to die?"

"Cause he lets his wife drive his car when he's in it." — *Yankers*

TOO KNOWING

Rastus. Dat gal of mine sure does love some.

Sam. 'Til say she does?

Rastus. What's dat you say, nigga?

Sam. I— I— I mean, does she?

NEW VIEW

Mrs. Grimm. And so you are going to be my son-in-law?

He. By Jove! I hadn't thought of that! — *Tit-Bits*

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BUILDING MANY NEW TRAILS

To Assist in Construction of Highways Federal Fund of \$64,533,019 Has Been Approved.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture)

Between 9,000 and 10,000 miles of the marked trails which now crisscross the country from east to west and north to south are to be constructed by federal aid. This amount is composed of 855 projects, which form links in one or the other of the 24 marked trails which have been laid out by private associations.

Every automobilist is familiar with the Dixie highway, the Mohawk trail, the Roosevelt highway, and a score of other marked trails, which are so well built and maintained that driving on them is a joy and comfort. To assist in building these highways a federal fund of \$64,533,019 had been approved by the bureau of public roads of the United States Department of Agriculture up to September 30, 1920.

These trails do not constitute an entirely satisfactory system of transcontinental roads, as officials of the department say their selection in many cases has been influenced too much by such factors as pre-existing conditions, promise of improvement by local communities, pressure of selfish influence, and a desire to touch points of scenic and historical interest.

The extent to which federal aid has been applied to the trails varies in the different states. Naturally the Western states are using much more of their federal allotments in developing roads of this character than the Eastern states. This is due to the fact that the trails in the Eastern states had already been improved to a large extent before the roads were selected by the pathfinders. This was not true in the West, where long stretches of the selected roads were still in an unimproved condition when they were designated.

Nevada leads in its use of federal funds on roads of this character.

DRIVERS CAN ASSIST ROADS

In Going Up Hill, Particularly One Paved With Concrete, Right Side Is Favored.

"Drivers can do as much, almost, for the maintenance of good roads as highway engineers," declares Alfred E. Masury.

"Did you ever notice," asked Mr. Masury, "in going up a hill, particularly one paved with asphaltic concrete that the surface on the right-hand side of the road is wavy and rough, while that on the left-hand side is smooth?"

"Well, the reason is this: The extra traction required to climb the hill wears and tears the surface, while there is little or no traction down hill."

"Another thing, the right-hand track of the road in either direction is the one which is worn most. This is because of the arched surface of the road which throws the greater weight and strain on the right-hand side of the vehicle and consequently the right-hand side of the roadway. Truck builders and wagon makers have even adjusted their axles and springs so as to withstand the greater strain on the right-hand side of the vehicle."

Prices Must Decrease.

Road materials must go down in price or the hard road building program will be discontinued, according to Gov. Len Small of Illinois.

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FIGHTING PEACH TREE PEST

Para-Dichlorobenzene Treatment Affords Means of Ridding Orchards of Harmful Borer.

The results of what is known as the para-dichlorobenzene treatment for the eradication of the peach-tree borer, lead experts of the United States Department of Agriculture to believe that a practical means has finally been found of ridding orchards of this distressing and destructive pest. Previously the only effective method of fighting the borer was by removing the soil around the base of the tree and digging the grubs out of their galleries with a knife. It is estimated that the borer had done \$2,000,000 damage a year and that \$2,000,000 a year has been spent in fighting them.

The para-dichlorobenzene method was first used extensively by orchardists in 1919. It consists in sprinkling the crystals of insecticide on the soil around the base of the infected tree and covering with earth to hold the gas. The substance is highly volatile and forms a gas when the soil is between 75 and 80 degrees Fahrenheit. This gas is five times heavier than air and sinks down through the soil. It is highly effective against the borer; and a pound of the insecticide, costing not more than 25 cents, is sufficient for eight to ten trees. The labor is scarcely one-third of that formerly required. The saving therefore is great.

In 1920 the para-dichlorobenzene process was used extensively in the Georgia peach belt, some localities buying as high as 50,000 pounds and large individual growers as high as two tons each. Growers declare that it is one of the greatest accomplishments in the history of the department, comparable to the self-bolled lime-sulphur treatment for control of brown rot and scab of the peach.

SIZES OF FRUIT CONTAINERS

Efforts Being Made to Fix Standards Readily Distinguishable by the Average Buyer.

The bureau of markets of the United States Department of Agriculture, in its efforts to bring about standardization of shipping containers for fruits and vegetables, is recommending standard types of packages. These are the hamper, the round stave basket, and the market basket.

These recommendations provide not only standard sizes but standard dimensions, and it is the intention of the department to fix standards which will be readily distinguishable from each other by the average buyer.

There are at present a great many containers of different sizes which are so nearly the same in appearance that they are a never-ending source of fraud.

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FEW SEMINOLES LEFT

The Seminole Indians are to be moved to a reservation on the west coast of Florida, an area of 21,000 acres. Though partly under water, the tract is deemed of adequate extent, inasmuch as there are only about 425 Seminoles left.

This is the melancholy remnant of what was once a powerful tribe, which owned the whole of Florida and fought with the United States Government one of the most vigorously contested wars in our history.

The Seminoles are notably handsome people and their young women are the prettiest of all Indian girls. There are no white half-breeds among them. So strong in the tribe is the hatred of our race that if a Seminole woman were to have a child by a white man she would be likely to be put to death.

Around their necks the women wear many strings of beads of cut glass, which they buy from traders. Sometimes a squaw is adorned with as much as six quarts of these beads, and even the girl babies are loaded down with them. The women pierce as many as ten holes in the upper rim of each ear to hold pegs of wood.

The Seminole house is of peculiar construction, having a roof and a floor, but no sides. Its framework is of palmetto poles, which support a platform three feet from the ground and a roof of palmetto leaves. It is all one room, open to view from without, and one might imagine that here was the limit of non-privacy were it not that the Seminole dwelling is customarily hidden in the jungle.—*Kansas City Star*

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By a slight modification in construction it is possible to make a 28-quart hamper which looks so nearly like a full bushel hamper as to deceive the purchaser, who is defrauded out of half a peck.

NITROGEN IS BIG ESSENTIAL

Is Lacking When Strawberry Plants Grow Slowly and When Peaches Show Poor Wood Growth.

When plant growth is poor, as when the new strawberry plants grow slowly and fall to send out vigorous runners, or when blackberries and raspberries, otherwise healthy, fail to renew themselves by sending out new suckers, or when peaches or apples show poor wood growth, or when foliage is weak and poorly colored, there is a shortage of available nitrogen.

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"Well, the reason is this: The extra traction required to climb the hill wears and tears the surface, while there is little or no traction down hill."

"Another thing, the right-hand track of the road in either direction is the one which is worn most. This is because of the arched surface of the road which throws the greater weight and strain on the right-hand side of the vehicle and consequently the right-hand side of the roadway. Truck builders and wagon makers have even adjusted their axles and springs so as to withstand the greater strain on the right-hand side of the vehicle."

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BLAME PLACED ON MOTHERS

Held Responsible for Extravagant Dressing of High-School Girls— "Jury-Riding" Condemned.

The appearance of silk hose and high-heeled shoes on the part of the average high-school girl, while the schools are in session, is a matter of which the parents of the city are justly proud. It is the result of the efforts of the Parent-Teacher Association in Denver to

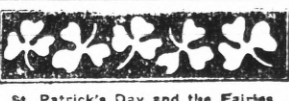
bring to the parents, the mother of young girls in the high schools wearing silk stockings is increasing, and a discussion lasting more than an hour ensued as to who was to blame for the situation. It was finally decided that the fault was with the parents, and mothers were urged to take a firm stand in depriving their daughters of those gossamer luxuries.

Educating the parents to the dangers of permitting their children to drive to and from school in automobiles will be the means of combating this problem, according to plans discussed. After-school joy rides, in which careless driving plays a conspicuous part, will be a thing of the past, if this educational plan materializes, according to Mrs. John C. Oakes, president of the organization.—Rocky Mountain News.

BUG MAKES MUCH TROUBLE

When telephone girls in California find their wires "shorted," a bug may be on or in the wire, for California has a wood-boring beetle that goes through wood and also through alloyed substances considerably harder than lead. The beetle has put hundreds of telephones out of commission by boring holes in the cables that carry the wires. Water enters the cables, making wire connections useless until the bored places are found and repaired. The problem of control of this metal-boring beetle is still unsolved, according to the bureau of entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture, and it will be difficult to find a practicable way.

Hypocrite Betrays Himself.
Usually it is easy enough to feel whether there is a sound human heart behind the written or the spoken word. Fine phrases and exalted sentiments seldom mask the hollowiness of the hypocrite.—Victor Hugo.



St. Patrick's Day and the Fairies.
On St. Patrick's morning, every Irish lassie pins a sprig of the little plant upon her bosom and sallies forth, not to look for fairies any more, for who cares for fairies when St. Patrick's day and springtime walk hand in hand, when love, romance and adventure may await them at every turn of the road? For when the heart is young and gay, and when the time of St. Patrick's day would only be in the way.



CONSECRATED STANDING STONE
St. Patrick overthrew a great number of pagan standing stones with which Ireland was covered. There are still a great number to be seen. This one was consecrated to the new religion by being inscribed by a cross.

Alexander Hamilton's Children.
Alexander Hamilton married Miss Elizabeth Schuyler, December 14, 1780. They had six sons: Philip, born January 22, 1782, died November 24, 1851, from a duel wound; Alexander (soldier), born May 16, 1786, died August 2, 1875; James Alexander (lawyer), born April 14, 1788, died September 24, 1878; John Church (lawyer), born August 22, 1792, died July 25, 1882; William Steven, born August 4, 1797, died August 7, 1850, and Philip (jurist), born June 1, 1802, died July 9, 1884.

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The President's First Role That of a Peacemaker

When a big-hearted man comes upon a pair of pug-nosed neighbors, badly pummeling each other he is impelled to separate them. He generally does so if he is big enough. Uncle Sam happens to be big enough to hold Costa Rica and Panama apart, and give bad blood ample time to cool. It will be the special charge of Secretary Hughes that Uncle Sam gets as few bruises as possible. A peacemaker who interferes before one of the combatants is convincingly thrashed must not look for gratitude. He is considered a meddler who has prevented the other fellow from getting what was coming to him—good and plenty. The South Americans resent our assumption of being holier—and bigger—than thou, and useless exasperation should be avoided.

Marshall Plan Not Endorsed By Director of U. S. Survey

George Otis Smith, director of the U. S. Geological Survey, writes from Washington in explanation of the government's connection with the Marshall plan, which has caused considerable comment in the newspapers, as follows: "Of the tremendous, financial, legal, constructional, and human factors involved in such a project as the Marshall plan, neither the Survey nor any of its members has made an official study, and Colonel Marshall's connection with the Survey should not be misconstrued as the latter's endorsement nor the practicability of his plan."

New Lumber Rates Will Help

The new rates on lumber granted by the various railroads will have a tendency to stabilize the lumber market as far as the rate question is involved. That there will be any immediate reduction in wages of building trades workmen is uncertain. In any event, the mills are preparing to put on full complements of men April 1, which is a good sign that the supply and demand for homes will soon be equalized.

Need an Emergency Measure

It is said that it will take from three to nine months after the new congress meets to pass any kind of tariff measure. The passing of an emergency measure would prevent the dumping of foreign products here. Great Britain always takes this precaution when tariff measures are before parliament.

The European Situation

Lovers of humanity can glean no comfort from the week's happenings. Eros has fled, and the son of Bellona rules. Russians are slaughtering Russians. French are penetrating Germany. Irish and English are murdering each other. Italian laborers are engaging in bloody ructions. Were it not for the providential oceans the timorous, the prudent, and the war-weary would be over-running our own borders.

And now home brew is going to get the landlord in a mess of trouble. If the tenant is a "brewer and brews" in the premises, the landlord's property may be subject to confiscation.

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THE OULD SOD

Pat Nowlan, do you mind of the stile That straddled the hedge by the whin-grown cairn, And the Cannocht hills for many a mile A wearin' the green of the heather and fern?

Do you think of the colleen baugh so sweet, With laughter and mischief a-brimmin' o'er? Do you hear the pat of her wee bare feet, When she runs to meet with you at the door?



Do you see her eyes of deep Irish blue, Her cheeks with her own, the rose's pink? Faix she could be coy and be contrary, too, And give to your rival a smile or a wink.

Pat Nowlan passed on his mass-ward way, And a rollickin' wrinkle crept into his smile.



ST. PATRICK'S HOLY WELL
This holy well, known as the "Eye" well, is situated at Struell Hill near Downpatrick, and close to it are two others known as the "Bathing" and "Drinking" wells.

Bank Clearances

The following are the bank clearances for February, 1921:
San Francisco.....\$481,906,049
Los Angeles.....305,183,050
Oakland.....37,529,030
Sacramento.....20,828,325
Fresno.....20,541,760
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Berkeley.....12,385,333
San Diego.....15,660,680
San Jose.....6,453,785

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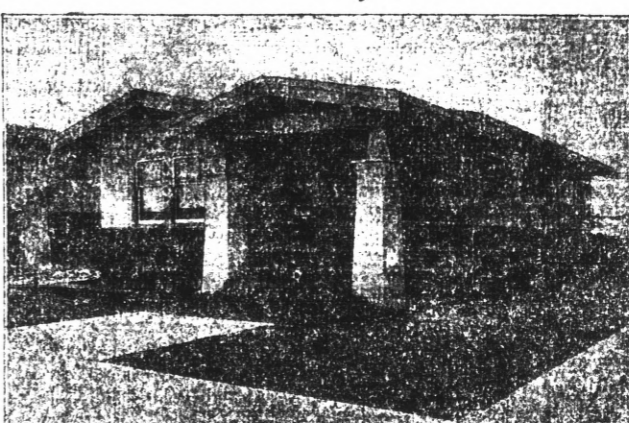
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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of San Mateo. Carl Peters, Plaintiff vs. Harold R. Peters and Catharina R. Peters, his wife, Defendants.

Under and by virtue of a writ of execution, to me directed, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of San Mateo, State of California, on the 4th day of February, 1921, in the above-entitled action, wherein Carl Peters recovered a judgment against Harold R. Peters and Catharina R. Peters, his wife, which judgment was duly entered and docketed on the 21st day of September, A. D. 1920, for the sum of one thousand dollars, damages, Gold Coin, with interest at the rate of seven per cent per annum and forty dollars costs and accruing costs in the sum of one hundred dollars, I have levied upon and taken under execution all the right, title and interest which Harold R. Peters and Catharina R. Peters, his wife had or held on Sept. 25th, A. D. 1920, or at any time subsequent thereto, in and to all those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land, lying and being in the County of Contra Costa, State of California and described as follows:

Lots One (1) and Two (2), Block "P" as per map of Syndicate Tract filed in the office of the County Recorder of Contra Costa County, State of California, on the 13th day of March, 1912. Together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging. Public notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 12th day of April, A. D. 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the courthouse, in the town of Martinez, county of Contra Costa, I will sell all the right, title and interest which the said defendants Harold R. Peters and Catharina R. Peters, his wife had or held on September 21st, 1920, the day on which said judgment was docketed as aforesaid, or which he may have subsequently acquired in and to the above described property, to the highest bidder for gold coin of the United States.

Dated Martinez, March 10, 1921.
R. R. VEALE, Sheriff of Contra Costa County.
W. M. VEALE, Deputy Sheriff.
Jas. T. O'Leary, Richmond City Atty. for Plaintiff.
March 10-25 April 18.

SUMMONS

In the Justice's Court of the Fifteenth Township, county of Contra Costa, State of California.
R. H. Dean, Plaintiff, vs. O. A. Lewis and First Doe, Defendants.

The People of the State of California send greetings.
O. A. Lewis and First Doe, you are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above-named plaintiff in the Justice's court of the 15th Township, county of Contra Costa, State of California, and to answer before the Justice, at his office in said township, the complaint filed herein within five days (exclusive of the day of service), after the day of service on you of this summons—it served within the township in which this action is brought, or if served out of said township, but in said county within ten days, or within twenty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to so appear and answer, the plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint as arising upon contract, or will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand this 9th day of June, 1920.
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